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ACCESSIBLE TO AN MVS SYSTEM

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Section 707.05(b) of the MPEP and 37 CFR 1.97-1.99, a copy is herewith submitted (attached to form PTO-1449) of prior art which is considered to be pertinent to the invention as claimed in the above-identified application.

None of the cited art, nor any art of which applicant(s) are aware discloses the invention as claimed in the instant application.

The citation of the above reference(s) should not be construed as a representation that a thorough search has been made, or that other, more pertinent art is not available.

Respectfully submitted,

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